

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The invention relates to an integrated circuit having a test circuit and a test terminal, it being possible for the test circuit to be activated by means of a test signal which can be applied to the test terminal in order to start a test function, a switching device being provided in order, after the activation of the test circuit, to connect the test terminal to an internal voltage line, in order to supply a current requirement needed on account of the test function that is performed.